

**RHODE ISLAND
REPUBLICANS**

State Ticket Nominated By
Acclamation.

Platform Gives Unqualified En-
dorsement to President's -
Tariff View.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 11.—When the Republican state convention assembled this morning there was every indication that a ticket bearing the names of the present Republican state officials would be made up without any opposition. No contests for any of the principal places on the ticket were spoken of among the delegates. The program as arranged was carried out without friction, all the nominations being made by acclamation, as follows:

Governor—George H. Lister.
Lieutenant Governor—Frederick M. Jackson.
Secretary of State—Charles T. Bennett.
Attorney General—William B. Greenough.
Treasurer General—Walter A. Reed.

The report of the committee on resolutions was adopted unanimously. The platform declares that "the Republican party of Rhode Island announces its adherence to the policy and principles of the national organization as exemplified by the achievements of the fifty-ninth congress and by the statesmanlike utterances of that prominent leader, President Roosevelt. We express our unqualified approval of the labor of our Republican senators and representatives in the congress of the United States."

On the subject of tariff revision approval is given of President Roosevelt's declaration that "whenever a given rate or schedule becomes evidently disadvantageous to the nation, because of the changes which will go on from year to year in our conditions, and where it is feasible to change this rate or schedule without too much dislocation of the system, it will be done, while a general revision of the rates and schedules will be undertaken whenever it shall appear to the sober business sense of our people that, on the whole, the benefits to be derived from making such changes will outweigh the disadvantages."

The platform says that "as the Democratic party has become the victim of the demagogue and the doctrinaire, the task of preserving our most cherished institutions falls to the Republican party."

The present state administration is commended for its honesty and efficiency.

**THOSE "RECOLLECTIONS"
OF VON HOENLOE**

"Tactless" Book Denounced By Em-
peror William, on Sale in
Berlin.

BERLIN, Oct. 11.—"The late imperial chancellor Von Hohenlohe's recollections," published recently by his son, Prince Alexander, which called forth a rebuke from Emperor William for Prince Alexander's "factlessness," were on sale today. They contain other important personalities on European affairs, none, however, of more recent date than 1894.

Almost every page of the second volume contains some indiscretion, according to diplomatic rules. For instance, dining with the late Emperor Augusta, wife of Emperor William I, at Baden, in October, 1889, the ex-chancellor wrote:

"She, as usual, referred with extreme caution to political questions, but she disapproved of the young emperor's many journeys and considered his trip to Athens (on the occasion of the marriage of the Crown Prince of Greece to Princess Sophia of Prussia, the emperor's sister), to be a superfluous risk."

**SANKEY AND
THE "GYPSY"**

Strange Incident in Careers of
Two Evangelists.

"Gypsy" Smith Met Famous
Singer For Second Time—
Sankey Is Ill.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Ira D. Sankey, the evangelist singer, and "Gypsy" Smith, an English evangelist, met yesterday, for the second time, in Sankey's home in Brooklyn. Twenty-five years ago when Moody and Sankey were holding revival meetings in London, they drove into the country and stopped in look at a gypsy camp. Sankey, standing in his carriage, sang to the gypsies. One of those most interested was a boy who climbed up on the carriage wheel. The boy begged that he sing again. Touched by the boy's sincerity, Sankey placed his hands on the boy's head and said: "God, make a preacher of this boy."

It was because of that inspiration that the boy, now known throughout the world as "Gypsy" Smith, ran away from the gypsy band and became a student. He visited Mr. Sankey yesterday. Sankey is ill. Smith knelt beside the bed of the singer, who placed his hands on the gypsy's head and blessed his work.

**VIGILANTES
ORGANIZING**

Bay Cities Alarmed By The
Conditions.

Berkeley, Alameda, Fruitvale
Oakland and San Francis-
co Are Aroused.

OAKLAND, Oct. 11.—As a result of the many daring hold-ups and hold robberies during the past few days, vigilante committees and citizens' patrols are being organized in Berkeley, Oakland, Fruitvale and Alameda for the protection of their citizens and to deal with the lawless element.

Tonight Mrs. Ackerson was held up and attacked by three masked men on a street in Fruitvale. While Sheriff Barnett was getting some of his deputies to get to the scene for the foot-pads, several reports of other hold-ups came in by telephone.

Tonight a vigilante committee of 100 was organized in Fruitvale to police the town at night. A detail of vigilantes is making a vigorous search for suspicious characters.

Alarmed by the constantly increasing robberies, President Frederick W. Post, of the Chamber of Commerce of Berkeley, tonight issued a call for a mass meeting to be held Saturday night for the purpose of forming a vigilante committee of 400 members and volunteers will be asked for to patrol the college town at night until the present era of lawlessness has ended.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—At a meeting of citizens called today at the instance of the Police Commercial and Manufacturers' association, for the purpose of adopting a plan to be presented at a mass meeting called for next Saturday to form a committee of security, resolutions were passed declaring that the present city government is indirectly responsible for the reign of crime in this city.

**ISLE OF PINES WILL
BE QUITE IGNORED**

Provisional Government of Cuba
Has Nothing To Do With
Isle's Problems.

HAVANA, Oct. 11.—The provisional government will have nothing to do with the question of the sovereignty of the Isle of Pines or with the separation of the government of the island from the rest of the Cuban republic. The executive authority of the United States already has declared that the Isle of Pines belongs to Cuba and has issued that affirmation in a treaty conceding the sovereignty of the island to Cuba, and this treaty is now pending ratification in the American senate.

The matter being one for the adjudication of the state department, the provisional government, which is wholly under the war department, will not mix therein.

**TWO WRECKS
ON RAILROAD**

Iron Mountain Fast Express
Jumped Track.

Freights on Union Pacific in
Wyoming Crashed Head-
on, Killing Six.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 11.—The Iron Mountain fast train, which was late in leaving Union station today, jumped the track while making up lost time in the city limits, killing one and injuring ten other persons. The dead:

ENGINEER JOHN CASPARI, 45 years old, St. Louis.
Injured: Fireman Peter Rafferty, St. Louis; broken bones and internal injuries; serious. Mail Clerk H. J. James, broken bones, serious; H. Jew, son of E. G. Martin, arm broken, internal injuries; serious; J. P. Wootter, W. P. Tate, E. J. Howe, W. W. Otis, R. K. Canary and H. R. Coleman.

Behind the engine were three mail cars. The engine and two cars plunged from the tracks at a sharp curve and went down an embankment. Engineer Caspary was crushed to death. Fireman Rafferty is so badly injured that it is believed he cannot recover. He had been out of the hospital only two weeks. Two of the mail clerks were seriously injured, the others being badly bruised.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Oct. 11.—Five men were killed outright in a head-on freight collision on the Union Pacific railroad at Ridge, near Laramie, Wyo., last night. The dead are Engineers Frank Strong and John Murray, Fireman Thomas Engstrom and George Kelley and Benjamen L. H. Meyers.

The collision was due to a misunderstanding of orders. The engines of both trains were demolished and the train cars instantly killed.

**FAILURE OF
CUBAN FIRM**

Ceballos Crash Was Due to
the Revolution.

Levitating Havana Agent Had
Backed Gomez For the
Presidency.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Manuel Silveira, the defaulting Havana agent for the firm of J. M. Ceballos & Co., is not on board the steamer Carmelia, upon which he left Havana October 23, but on another steamer which he boarded at sea two days after leaving the Cuban capital, according to information given out here today. It is said that the whereabouts of the Carmelia is known and the destination of the other steamer to which Silveira and his family were transferred is also known.

The charge of defalcation of more than \$1,000,000 which has been made against Silveira, was made, according to Attorney Sullivan and Cromwell, who made the announcement, after the news of the Carmelia and the other steamer had been received in this city.

When Cromwell was questioned at his office regarding the transfer of Silveira and his family from the Carmelia after leaving Havana, he said: "That is something that I do not care to discuss, because it would be giving a hint. All my efforts are being directed now to capture the man."

The failure of J. M. Ceballos & Co. was a great surprise to the banking and commission houses in the financial district, where the head of the house was regarded as the most aggressive merchant and banker in the Cuban-American trade.

Ceballos & Co. spread their vast enterprises over the West Indies, South America and as far as Spain. Silveira & Co., of which Manuel Silveira, whose alleged defalcation with \$1,000,000 caused the failure, is a member, has been for many years their agent in the Latin-American countries.

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Juan M. Ceballos, head of the firm, has been for years prominently identified with many international enterprises. He has had a few Wall Street connections, and his house was regarded as not so much a Wall Street concern as a promoter of Latin-American enterprises. The effect of the assignment on local firms is problematical. An American who has close business relations with the firm said the loss of \$1,000,000 really crippled the house to the extent of \$4,000,000 in curtailing its credit to that amount.

The loss, he said, could not have come at a worse season, for the reason that the house lends money during the harvest and grinding of the sugar crop. Its funds were tied very largely, he declared, in such loans, and it was impossible to call them.

The failure is considered certain to have a damaging effect upon business in Cuba. Among other things it means the abandonment of a comprehensive Cuban railroad scheme, which contemplated the construction of an entire new railroad system reaching all the Ceballos properties and covering all that part of the island now with inadequate transportation facilities.

Manuel Silveira's firm has excellent standing in Cuba. The firm is one of "mercantile bankers," the business consisting of handling merchandise of various sorts, instead of securities like the banking houses. The firm is the largest importer of cattle in Cuba, bringing in cattle from Venezuela, Texas and Colombia and it was one of his cattle boats that Silveira with his family left Havana.

Silveira has been a promoter of many enterprises in Cuba. One of his speculations in which Ceballos is said to have been associated with him was the purchase after the war which freed Cuba from Spanish control, of a large mass of soldiers' warrents, which he got for little money, but which subsequently were redeemed at par and 6 per cent interest. He cleared a large sum by this operation.

As this financial agent of Ceballos & Co., Silveira's firm had received money in bulk and often had on hand an excess holding of more than \$1,000,000. Ceballos & Co. were business agents for many New York agents and individuals interested in Cuban projects and in this business handled large sums of money for their customers.

**PORT ENGINE
WAS BROKEN**

Cruiser California Endurance
Test Interrupted.

Vessel Will Have to Be Taken
Back to San Francisco
for Repairs.

SANTA BARBARA, Oct. 11.—Owing to an accident to the port engine, the cruiser California failed in her endurance run today, when the vessel had been under way for two and one-half hours.

That no one was injured at the time the trouble occurred, is little short of miraculous. A piece of the intermediate crank-pin bending of the port engine was forced out the heavy steel shield being crumpled up like paper and hurled directly across the platform, where several men long been standing a moment before. Anyone in line of the missile would likely have been killed. The water pipes were knocked about and other minor damage was done before the engine could be stopped.

The port engine did not work smoothly during the standardization trials on Tuesday and on Wednesday all the harnesses were removed. The builders did not have a chance to try out the engine before today's endurance test and before the ship had been under way half an hour the engine began to knock badly, but when she continued to knock off the knots for two-thirds of the time of the test it was hoped that it would be well and that the run would be completed without accident.

At the time the accident occurred, the California was doing about 22 knots, which speed she had averaged all along. All the members of the board express deep regret that the trouble should have occurred as there was no question that the vessel was doing far better than the requirements.

Owing to fog the California did not leave her anchorage until 8:45 o'clock this morning. Very little time was taken in warming up the official run beginning at 9:15. The California had made a long run eastward and was heading back toward Santa Barbara when the accident happened.

**GOOD ADVICE
TO NEGROES**

Booker T. Washington Warns
Against Passion.

Self Control and Calmness
Are Necessary—Constructive
Work Is Needed.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The national session of the Afro-American council, which has been in progress here, was brought to a close tonight with words in Zion church. Booker T. Washington made the principal address. He said in part:

"In the season of disturbance and excitement, if others yield to the temptation of losing control of their judgment and give way to passion and prejudice, let us, as a race, teach the world that we have learned the great lesson of calmness and self-control. That we are determined to be governed by reason rather than by force. Our victories in the past have come to us through our ability to be calm and patient, often while enduring great wrong."

"To the members of my race who reside in the Southern states let me add a word of caution that in your enthusiasm to be of service to the brethren in the South you do not make their path more thorny and difficult by rash and intemperate utterances. Before giving advice to the negro in the South, the negro in the North should be very sure that what he advises is that which he himself would be willing to take into the heart of the South and put into practice. Be careful not to need in lecturing a line that you will have no ability to put out."

"Many think that the problem with which we are grappling will be solved by inducing millions of our people to leave the South for residence in the North, but I warn you that instead of this being a solution, it will but add to the complication of the situation."

"The indiscriminate condemnation of all white people on the part of any member of our race is suicidal and a dangerous policy. We must learn to discriminate. We have strong friends, both in the South and in the North, and we should emphasize and magnify the efforts of our friends more than those who wish us evil."

**WHY BROUWER
KILLED WIFE**

Her \$60,000 Estate Aroused
His Cupidity.

Motive Suggested By Prosecu-
tion In New Jersey Mur-
der Case.

TOMES RIVER, N. J., Oct. 11.—Today, the fourth day of the trial of Dr. Frank Brouwer, who is charged with slowly killing his wife through the medium of small doses of poison, finds the case of the prosecution well toward completion. Some more expert medical testimony was presented and then witnesses were called to establish a motive for the alleged crime. The witnesses who have already testified were produced in an endeavor to show that a crime had been committed and how it was accomplished. The testimony, taken as a whole, was largely circumstantial.

That there had been quarrels between Brouwer and his wife and that Dr. Brouwer had said that he intended to sue for a divorce, was the testimony given today by Miss Elizabeth Hoyer, sister of the woman for whose alleged murder the doctor is on trial.

Miss Hoyer said her brother-in-law told her that incompatibility of temper made it impossible for him and his wife to live happily together and that he proposed to seek a divorce. According to Miss Hoyer, this was said by the doctor more than four years ago.

Surrogate Grant of Ocean county testified that the defendant filed an affidavit before him on Dec. 29th last, in which it was stated that Mrs. Brouwer's estate was valued at \$60,000, and that Dr. Brouwer and his two children were the beneficiaries.

Dr. Clarence Dismore testified that he had attended Mrs. Brouwer eleven days before her death. He would not swear Mrs. Brouwer was suffering from strychnine poisoning.

The proceedings yesterday, Dr. Brouwer's attorneys and friends said, were favorable to the defendant. Dr. H. H. Cate, who was expected to give damaging testimony, practically absolved the doctor from any wrongdoing in connection with the issuance of the death certificate.

Dr. Cate testified that this was not true. He testified that Dr. Brouwer did not ask him to sign the certificate which stated that death was due to Bright's disease, and he further stated that Dr. Brouwer did not even know he was to sign the certificate.

Dr. Cate is well remembered, disappeared soon after Mrs. Brouwer's death, and this at the time was deemed to have significance in connection with the case. Dr. Cate, in answer to the prosecutor's questions, said his disappearance had no connection with the death of Mrs. Brouwer. He said he went to New York and that was the last he remembered until he came to his position. Dr. Cate also gave his reasons for supposing that Mrs. Brouwer had died of Bright's disease.

**DENVER AND SPOKANE
WANT DECIDING GAME.**

Offers of \$10,000 and \$15,000 Guar-
antees Made to the National
Baseball Commission.

DENVER, Oct. 11.—George M. Reid of this city has asked Carry Hermann, president of the National League Baseball association, offering \$10,000 for the deciding baseball championship game.

The message reads:

"In case the seventh game is necessary to decide the world's baseball championship, Denver guarantees \$10,000 to the city of Chicago, which has offered to play in this city. Weather perfect for ball playing."

The reply came as follows:

"Telegram received and noted. Thanks for suggestion and offer. Place of holding deciding game must be decided later at session of commission."

**IT STARTLED
CLEVELAND**

Ex-President on the Nomina-
tion of Hearst.

Regards the situation In New
York as Surprising and
Afflictive.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The World today publishes a statement by Grover Cleveland on the New York political campaign, which it says was written yesterday by the ex-president at his home in Princeton. The statement follows:

"It is difficult for me to overcome my reluctance to express my views of the present political situation in the state of New York, and yet I cannot lose the interest in her political welfare which has grown out of my long residence there and my active participation in her political movements."

"I confess I was exceedingly surprised by the outcome of the recent Democratic state convention. Though I was not near enough to be in touch with the incidents leading up to this result, being absent on my vacation, and giving little attention to political occurrences, my estimate of the conservative good judgment of the Democracy of the state, and my conception of Democratic principles and purposes were such that I was profoundly startled by the selection made of a candidate to represent them in the pending canvass."

"Of course, every voter of the state must settle with his own conscience in determining his action in this emergency, but I cannot but regard the Democratic situation presented to my old associates in New York as an afflictive one."

**WHY GENERAL BELL
SUPERSEDED FUNSTON**

His Selection By the President Was
Due to Ability Displayed In
Philippines.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The detail of General J. Franklin Bell to command the American military forces in Cuba was made directly by the president, and the reason for that order, as stated by competent authority here, was that for his administration as military governor of the province of Batangas, one of the most turbulent of the Philippine subdivisions, just after the crisis had been reached in the Algalnabulo rebellion, General Bell showed such a combination of the soldier and the diplomat that his selection was deemed expedient to undertake similar duties in Cuba.

It is further stated that General Funston has fulfilled his entire mission to the satisfaction of the war department in securing the surrender of two years of the revolutionists without loss of blood, and that it never was intended that he should remain in Cuba in a semi-military capacity.

**CALHOUN IS
IMMOVABLE**

United Railroads Stated Its
Case Against Men.

Will Not Pay Flat Rate Nor
Grant Eight Hour Day
as Demanded.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—The United Railroads tonight filed with the committee of arbitration in the controversy between the union and the street car company over the question of wages and hours that resulted in the strike, the company's statement and answer to the union's demand for \$1 a day and a work day of eight hours.

The company contends that the cost of living has not materially increased in San Francisco, and, while admitting that rents are higher, declares the condition is but temporary. It states that a flat rate of wages is not advisable, that a graduated scale based on length of service, as now in operation on the United Railroads, is better, and that a work day of eight hours is not feasible.

The company makes practically no concessions or admissions in its reply. The statement contains about 15,000 words, covering fifty-three typewritten pages and goes into the history of the controversy between the United Railroads and its employees and their disagreement at great length.

THE GRIM REAPER

SALT LAKE, Utah, Oct. 11.—Charles W. Bennett, an aged lawyer, who was prominent as a candidate for United States senate when I had just been elected to statehood, was run down and killed by a street car here today. Bennett, who came to Utah from Wisconsin, once held a political office in the state. He was 75 years old.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 11.—John P. Baker, past owner of several gambling tracks and at one time associate judge at Hamilton and Louisville, died here today.

**SNOW STORMS
ARE GENERAL**

Eastern and Southern States
Have Early Winter.

All Records for Month of Oc-
tober in Many Years Are
Broken.

WARREN, Pa., Oct. 11.—This section is in the throes of a snowstorm and gale that is doing much damage. Late crops still in the field will suffer greatly. The storm is a blizzard and is the worst experienced thus early in the season in many years. The snow has thrown both steam and trolley cars off schedule and is general throughout this part of the country.

DETROIT, Oct. 11.—A heavy snow is reported from western Michigan, from Marquette, in the upper peninsula and along the Lake Huron shore from Alpena to Port Huron, where it is five inches deep. A storm which is raging today has practically stopped the movement of lake vessels.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 11.—The storm which swept this city since Tuesday continued unabated today, heavy snow falling steadily. Today the wind reached a velocity of forty-miles an hour, doing much damage. John Reese, 65 years old, was found frozen to death in his home today.

BENTON HARBOR, Mich., Oct. 11.—A heavy frost last night, which formed ice a quarter of an inch thick on standing water, did untold damage in this section of the fruit belt. Snow last night and today fell to the depth of eight inches.

LONDON, Ont., Oct. 11.—Heavy snow was general throughout western Ontario yesterday and last night. At Arr a clean swath twenty feet wide was cut through the town by the wind, houses being unroofed, trees blown down and fences torn to pieces.

BUFFALO, Oct. 11.—Snow began falling here last night and continued throughout the night. Great damage was done in this city and in surrounding towns to fruit and shade trees. Telegraph and telephone service is badly crippled.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 11.—This city and vicinity was visited by a severe snow storm early this morning. Telegraphic communication with Buffalo was cut off, as were both telephone systems connecting with that city. Communication has not yet been restored.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 11.—A heavy frost was reported in Memphis this morning. Advises from South Tennessee, Arkansas and North Mississippi state that a heavy frost occurred in those sections.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 11.—A heavy frost occurred throughout northern Georgia last night and in some of the southern counties of the state. Damage to cotton is feared.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 11.—All records for low temperature early in October since the establishment of the weather bureau in 1871 were broken today, when the mercury dropped to 28 degrees.

HAZLETON, Pa., Oct. 11.—Snow fell for two hours here early today. It was the first time in many years that snow has fallen here so early in the season.

CORRY, Pa., Oct. 11.—A snowstorm of unusual severity for this time of the year is raging throughout this section. Up to 9 o'clock this morning six inches of snow had fallen.

CYNTHIANA, Ky., Oct. 11.—A heavy black frost occurred in all parts of this county last night. It will destroy all the tobacco now out in the fields.

**BUFFALO'S
BIG STORM**

Quarter of a Million Damage
In The City.

Fruit Growing Counties Will
Suffer Incalculable Loss
From Heavy Snow.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 11.—The storm of snow and sleet which swept over this part of the country last night was the worst in many years. Telegraph, telephone and trolley lines were prostrated in all directions. The damage to the rich fruit belts of Chautauque, Niagara and Orleans counties is incalculable. Whole orchards of peach trees and other small fruits were crushed to the ground by the wet, clinging snow which fell steadily for many hours.

Tonight the weather is clear and cold and the lines of communication are being slowly re-established. Buffalo has the brunt of the storm. The damage in this city alone is not far from a quarter of a million dollars and two deaths occurred which were due to the effects of the storm. All night the telephone and electric light systems were paralyzed. The streets were littered with broken wires.

Two More Days of Y. W. C. A. Week

Gottschalk's

Women's Outer Apparel



She who don't feel sure about what she shall wear and asks the advice of our fabric and fashion experts is usually a better dressed woman than she who thinks she knows it all. We never try to persuade a woman against her will to take a certain fabric or a certain style—just as it is as much our interest as it is yours to have our patrons well and becomingly dressed. We are always ready to give you the benefit

\$20.00 Tailored Suits \$16.50

We have a strong line today. The colors are blue and brown, chevrons and plaids; made in semi-fitted coats; trimmed in stitching and straps; skirts plaited in the panel effects; a regular \$20.00 suit for \$16.50.

A Special Assortment

of finer skirts in new pleats; made of broadcloth, Panama and serge; colors and pretty plaids and checks \$12.50 to \$22.50.

of our suggestions and your own good common sense. That is partly why we are so successful this season in pleasing so many patrons. Come in and let us try and please you.

Women's Walking Skirts \$6.50

A fine showing of street skirts; in the new manish mixtures and stripes so much in demand; made in the new pleated effects; tailored strapping and buttons.

Fall Suitings Little Priced

At 60c a Yard, Shadow Plaid Panama in light and medium grey and black; stylish and serviceable; for knickerbockers and suits; a 75c quality for this price.

At \$1.00 a Yard, Panama Suiting. An assortment that cannot be found elsewhere, and such quality that is better than what others ask \$1.25 for. We have it in the check effects, plain greys and brown—full 45 inches wide.

At 60c a Yard, Scotch Suiting in the newest of checks; the very latest in the light and dark grey checks; this we cannot buy elsewhere for less than 75c.

At \$1.25 a Yard, Cheviot Suitings. There is nothing so popular this season as the grey check effects; all the leaders of the "What's Right" are using it. At this price we are showing some very handsome goods.

Y. W. C. A. Share With Us Two Days More

LAKE GAME PRESERVE

Widgeon Gun Club Has Fine Shooting.

William Brink, Lewis Creek Pioneer, Dies at Advanced Age.

VISALIA, Oct. 11.—The Widgeon Gun club is preparing for the opening of the duck season next Monday. The club has the same preserve this year that it has leased for several years past, containing 6000 acres in Kern county near the Tulare line, and reports from that section state that the birds are greatly in excess of former years. A ton of barley has been taken to the preserve to feed to the ducks and four or five tons more will follow during the season. It is being fed out by Jim Carter, in charge of the club house.

Several local sportsmen will probably go to the preserve Sunday to be on hand when the season opens on Monday. The lake this year reaches almost to the preserve and the excess of water will make shooting excellent. The Widgeon gun club consists of about thirty members residing at Visalia, Porterville, Orosi, Reedley and other places.

Word was received today of the death of James Benware, a well-known pioneer, who succumbed to Bright's disease at his home at Lewis creek, ten miles west of Porterville, at 6 o'clock this morning. Mr. Benware came to this country in 1853, having crossed the plains with a caravan, and had resided at his present homestead ever since. He was a native of Missouri, aged 71 years. He leaves a wife, 70 years of age, and two sons, Jess and Alfred, residing at Lewis creek, and a daughter, Mrs. Kate of this city. The funeral will take place tomorrow.

William Brink died near Porterville this morning as the result of a kick by a horse several days ago. Brink had been working at the Williams ranch for several months. He had been intoxicated several times lately, on several occasions. He leaves no relatives so far as known and will probably be buried by the county. He was about 40 years of age. An inquest was held over the remains by Coroner Dugan this evening.

W. T. McNelly, a prominent mining man of Globe, Arizona, arrived last night in company with J. A. Crowley, and today purchased the Britton place of sixteen acres a mile and a half southwest of Visalia for his son, Mr. McNelly, Jr., an assayer of the city mentioned, who will arrive shortly to reside.

The trial of Sam Lee, the Chinese laundryman of Tulare who killed a fellow countryman at that place in cold blood several weeks ago, will begin in the Superior court Tuesday. Lee entered his victim's bedroom in the dead of night and stabbed him repeatedly while he slept. Lee was traced by shoeless tracks from the laundry to the house and back again.

Mrs. J. G. Knox left this morning for Oakland on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Nicholson.

Mrs. R. P. Grant and Mrs. A. W. Grant were visiting in Fresno today. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hauser of Pasadena are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Hauser of this city. The two gentlemen are brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Spier have one to Los Angeles on a visit.

MADERA MATTERS.

James Smythe, Well Known Resident, Dies of Alcoholic Excesses.

MADERA, Oct. 11.—James Smythe, who has lived in this place since 1890, died at the county hospital this morning of heart failure as the result of excessive use of intoxicants. He had been on a protracted spree for some time prior to his removal to the hospital and was taken to the hospital in a condition verging on collapse. Despite every care he sunk, and a few hours before his death was found walking up and down the hospital ward in a dazed manner. The dead man was 40 years old and was a well-known stockman. His relatives have been notified and the funeral arrangements have been deferred pending receipt of instructions.

George Peterkin, a native of Scotland, and a resident of Raymond, died yesterday evening from pulmonary tuberculosis. He was 46 years of age. The deceased was a member of the Masons, Old Fellows and Knights of Pythias.

A. G. Ellis, of North Fork, father of Supervisor Ellis, who was reported seriously ill, has been taken to the Burritt sanitarium for an operation.

H. E. Bigelow came down from North Fork last evening with a stage load of forest supervisors and other government employees. There were twelve in the party, including Captain Adams of Washington, D. C., who is the head of the forestry bureau. They report a highly interesting meeting.

John Anderson of Yreka has returned to Madera and will remain permanent.

Mrs. G. G. Parsons, after visiting several days here, returned to her home in Fresno this afternoon.

J. W. Linnville, who suffered a severe hemorrhage of the lungs at Raymond, Tuesday night, is resting much easier today.

A few freight cars flew the track this afternoon on account of an open switch. Aside from a few broken ties no damage was done.

A crowd of men arrived from the north on the 2:30 train today. They will go to work for the Sugar Pine company, here and at the mountain mill.

Mrs. J. W. Gallwey, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. A. E. Jones, of Siskiyou county, went to Fresno this afternoon to visit their mother for several days.

Miss Louise Moudouli returned from Fresno today.

E. E. Harrison of Chicago is registered at the Yosemite.

Will Hilmer returned today from a business trip to Fresno.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gilbert went to Fresno this afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Long went to Fresno this afternoon to visit friends.

M. J. Laid came up from the city last night and will return today. He reports the planting mill business as being lively.

Wiley Smith, nephew of Mrs. Jane

SELMA WILL ENTERTAIN

Excursion of State Realty Men Expected Today.

Visitors Will Be Shown Stretch of Country Where Farming Pays.

SELMA, Oct. 11, John C. Rendon, chairman of the Selma chamber of commerce, and his committee have made all arrangements for the entertainment of the 100 members of the Realty association, who will come down from Fresno on a special excursion train and spend Friday morning viewing the sights of this vicinity. About twenty automobiles owned in this vicinity have been secured, besides numerous rigs, in which the visitors will be driven to the show place.

The tour of inspection will first take the real estate men out of town past the Selma creamery, where one and a half tons of butter are being made daily from cream brought in from the famous south Fresno county dairies; thence there will be a glimpse of the San Joaquin cheese factory and from here the route will lead out past orchards and vineyards to the rich settlement northeast of Kingsburg, where "Producers" avenue will be viewed.

This avenue has an exceedingly fine lot of orchards and vineyards and beautiful homes, a novelty being the fact that every resident is said to be a bank depositor and every farm clear of mortgage. Chris. Tremper's 160-acre vineyard will be the next point of special interest and here the visitors will be shown a place costing \$32,000 that produced \$16,000 this season and netted \$9,000 last year. S. L. Heisinger's vineyard further north and east of Selma will be another 160-acre place of interest, as this fine property, bringing in a fortune every year, has been paid for by Mr. Heisinger in the last eight years. He had but \$600 when he purchased. There will be a swing through the fine district further north on the road to the picturesque Mill Dick road and to town, where the new school houses, the new skating pavilion, open house, seedling plant, rannery and other 1906 enterprises will be seen and the progress of this enterprising community fittingly exemplified.

A meeting of football men has been called for next Monday evening at Tim Reynolds' bike shop to consider the advisability of organizing for the fall and winter season of sport. The Selma boys have received a number of challenges already.

Harry Staley is back from Fairbanks, Alaska, where he spent the past seven months, most of the time being employed in Clarence Berry's placer mine at \$5 a day and his board. Harry is glad to get back home and he says he has no desire to return north, as the good locations have all been made. He says that, owing to the expenses incidental to going and returning, he made but little by his trip, but he is glad he went, as he gained much experience and had an opportunity to see a wide area of country. He contemplates going to the Nevada gold fields.

J. L. Mitchell and Mrs. S. A. Wentz were married at the Baptist parsonage last Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Rev. Booth officiating. The bride and groom went on their honeymoon trip to Oakland and bay points. The groom is a prominent real estate and insurance man and his bride is a popular member of the Baptist church. They will reside for a short time at their country home and then move into their beautiful home at the corner of Lee and Tulare streets, which will be refitted for their occupancy.

Rev. A. L. Paul will go to San Jose next week to attend the annual conference of the M. E. Church South, which meets on Wednesday. Next Sunday will be Rev. Paul's last services before conference and he extends a special invitation for all to attend.

M. V. Stewart, F. Paulson and J. W. Aikin have been in Santa Barbara this week, attending the High Court, F. O. O. F., as representatives from Selma Court, No. 4215.

Mrs. W. S. Glines and her daughter, Mrs. Luther Elliott, are expected home from the East next week. They have been visiting relations in Illinois, Indiana and Iowa.

Taylor-Reichard. John K. Taylor and Miss Grace Reichard were united in marriage at 5:30 o'clock yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Reichard.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Taylor of Easton, father of the groom, and was very impressive. The wedding march from Mendelssohn was rendered by E. S. Reichard, Warner Reichard, brother of the bride, was best man and Miss Genevieve Shepard was bridesmaid.

The home was artistically decorated with green foliage. A delicious supper added to the enjoyment of the evening. The couple received many valuable and beautiful presents.

Those present were: Rev. J. Taylor and wife of Easton, Ralph Taylor and wife, G. S. Reichard and wife, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Riley and little daughter, Miss Leone Reatty, Miss Emma Amersperger, Miss Grace Van Horn, Misses Hazel and Genevieve Shepard, Miss Maggie and Miss Minnie Reichard, Mrs. C. L. Bell, Mrs. J. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gilstrap, Mr. L. M. Stewart, Mr. Warner Reichard, Mr. Lee Stewart and Mr. E. S. Reichard.

It was, without a very enjoyable and pleasant occasion.

Larue, died at Bakerfield and will be buried at White Rock, Mariposa county where his people live. Mrs. Larue has gone to attend the funeral.

Sheriff Jones returned last night from a trip around his political friends. Judge Conkey returned last night from a trip to the North Fork country.

E. R. Hudson, a traveling man from Los Angeles, is doing business in Madera.

Frank, son of J. L. Regadale, came up from Madera yesterday to visit his father.

C. B. Largent was a visitor in the Selma City last evening and returned this morning.

No freight has been received at the S. P. depot here from San Francisco since Tuesday.

Wm. J. Lewis and family of Webster district have moved to the arid foothills of San Jose.

A. J. Patterson, Piano Tuner, 1327 E. St. Phone Black 195.

HAPPENINGS IN HANFORD

Death of Mrs. F. L. Young From Tuberculosis.

Japanese Gamblers and Seditious Indian Have Been Released on Bail.

HANFORD, Oct. 11. Mrs. Jennie L. Young, wife of F. L. Young of this city, aged 37 years, died at her home on East Tenth street last evening after a lingering illness of more than a year. Her death was due to tuberculosis, which dread disease she contracted since coming to California from her native home in New York state. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, two children, Ethel and Marion, and a brother, George Bartlett, of Kings county. Also two brothers and two sisters living in New York. The funeral services will be held tomorrow at 10 o'clock at the undertaking parlors of Thomas & Rice. Interment in the Hanford cemetery.

The residence of Joseph Brown, located near the Cross creek school house, was totally destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. The conflagration is supposed to have started from a defective fuse.

Hubert W. Dallas and Miss Lydia E. Marquis were united in marriage last evening. The ceremony which was one of the most notable of temporary society events, was performed at the club house of the Alpha club, Rev. Hanson of the Episcopal church of Fresno officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Dallas left last evening on a bridal tour to Catalina Island and on their return will reside in Coalinga, where the groom is a well known oil man.

The Golden West restaurant was closed today on an attachment gotten out by A. Knudsen, cook, and William Caragucos, a waiter, who have claims against the proprietor, George Polos, amounting to \$380.

The Japanese gamblers who pleaded not guilty before City Recorder Randall yesterday afternoon, gave bonds of \$100 each today and were released from custody.

John Brown, the Indian who since his confinement in the county jail has made several attempts to commit suicide, was released today under bonds of \$1000, which were secured by his attorney, J. G. Covert.

Freeman's special tamales and enchiladas. 943 J.

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The regents of the University of California organized University Extension as a separate department of the work of the University in 1902.

By its University methods of work and study are brought to the people and the opportunity is given for intellectual improvement and advancement in knowledge.

For this year's work the local center selected a history course of lectures on the "Rise and Fall of the Spanish Power in Europe and America," by Don B. Smith. The course comprises:

1. Spain—The Land and the People.
2. The Rise of the Spanish Monarchy; the Reign of Ferdinand and Isabella; the First Settlements in America.
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6. The Decline of the Spanish Power in the Seventeenth Century.
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8. The Spanish Monarchy in the Eighteenth Century; the Reform of Charles III.
9. Spanish America in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries.
10. The End of the Old Spanish Monarchy; the Napoleonic Empire in Spain; the Peninsula War.
11. The Spanish American Revolution; The War for Independence.
12. Spain and Spanish America in the Nineteenth Century.

Two of the Above Lectures will be Illustrated with Stereopticon Views

Mr. Don B. Smith lectured in Fresno October 9th, moving himself to be a thorough master of his subject, and a clear, forceful and pleasing speaker.

Membership tickets in the center, entitling the holder to attend these lectures and to take class studies, if desired, may be had for \$2.

About 75 tickets have been sold. To insure success of the center 75 more must be sold within the next ten days.

Tickets may be had of: C. L. McLane, City Superintendent of Schools, Tel. Main 243.

Dr. W. P. Miller, Garibaldi Building, Telephone Main 667.

Wm. Glass, Republican Business Office, Telephone Main 97.

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Sale Starts at 8:30 Sharp



\$1.95 For \$5.00 Silk Drop Skirts
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Sale will start promptly at 8:30.

We believe it is the greatest Silk Petticoat Sale ever known in Fresno. There are about one hundred in all; but at these prices they can't last long; so try to be here on time—8:30 a. m.

The Petticoats are all made of good taffeta silk—new ones—all styles in all the new fall colorings.

At \$1.95 About half dozen in all; fine black drop skirts; made of soft black taffeta silk.
At \$3.49 About twenty-five in all; 9-inch knife pleated flounce; gathered ruffle; 4 tucks; pink, blue, brown, red, olive, rose and changeables; perline under-ruffle.
At \$3.95 About forty in this lot; 10-inch knife pleated flounce; gathered; with ruffle at bottom; another style—13-inch flounce; gathered; black, white, reseda; percaline under-ruffle.
At \$4.95 About thirty-five; these are pure silk throughout, including under-ruffle; extra fine taffeta; 2 styles; 10-inch knife pleated flounce and 13-inch tucked tailored flounce; colors, olive navy, brown, red reseda, black, tan.

THE WONDER

Cloak and Suit House

UNIONS SORE AT KEISKER

Resent Attitude on Slot Machine Question.

Action of Trades Council Was Not Brought About Through Pressure.

The Federated Trades Council indignantly deny a statement made yesterday by Trustee Keisker to the effect that the members had been influenced by outside parties in giving utterance to views opposed to the slot machine. The members claim that what was said is the consensus of opinion held only by the union body at large, expressing the views of the greater number of the men, and state positively that the unions are opposed to the reinstatement of the ordinance licensing the gambling device as a retrograde step made for the gaining of an additional revenue for the city.

The statement made by Trustee Keisker, to which the Federated Trades Council has taken especial exception, is one published in an afternoon daily in which he is quoted as saying: "The recent action taken by the Federated Trades Council seems to have been dictated through by certain parties who were influenced by outside pressure."

In speaking of this the leading members of the council state that the question of the slot machine came up at a meeting of new business at the mass meeting held in the hall on last Friday night when the council gave up their regular meeting night and threw their hall open for the use of the union men on a regular discussion of matters of moment. There was no mention made of the slot machine by any member of the Federated Trades nor was the matter brought up by any delegate of the council. It simply came up as might any other subject brought by some one present, and the council had nothing to do with it.

When the subject had been discussed it was agreed by all present that the union men should properly make some protest as a representative body of citizens, and a petition was then started for circulation. The paper was signed by everyone in the hall with the exception only of one or two who were in the afternoon at the time. The same paper is now going the rounds of the various branches for signatures of those not present at the mass meeting.

If one might judge from the talk of most of the union men on the street, say the members of the council, the movement for the doing away of the slot machine is receiving strong support, and so far from being in danger of being turned down, as intimated by Mr. Keisker, it seems that all are in favor of retaining the prohibition of the machines. It was conceded there may be one or two here and there who do not like to interfere, but the greater number of union names will be found on the petition when it is presented on next Monday night.

In discussing the matter, several

prominent members of the Federated Trades last night stated that the union men of Fresno cannot but feel hurt at the manner in which Trustee Keisker ignores the support which he received from the union men in his election. He seems to forget, they said, that he received more than 800 union votes, besides other influences of men connected with organized labor in this city. His manner of going back on them in their laudable effort to do away with the slot machine has surprised and hurt them, and his action has received much unfavorable comment. They are, however, willing to admit that they have received in the past courteous and considerate treatment from the trustees, including Trustee Keisker, and strongly endorse the action of those of the board who are in favor of repealing the slot machine sanction.

NOTHING IS FOUND OF SALOON HOLD-UP MAN

Sheriff's Office Believes That the Thug Has Skipped Out of Town.

No clue has been found of the thug who held up the saloon of Tony Silvers on Railroad avenue on Wednesday night, nor has anything further been learned of the two men who are alleged to have entered Bollick's bar with a view to holding up two stablemen. It is thought that the masked man of the first case made good his escape when he saw that the officers were hot on his trail. The police are inclined to doubt that there is much in the story of the suspicious characters who entered the stable.

Deputy Sheriff Vogelzang and McSwain yesterday made a thorough search of the scene of the saloon robbery in early daylight and worked upon a clue left behind the miscreant in his flight. The man was tracked down the railroad for a short distance but there all signs of him vanished. It is thought by the officers that he quietly sneaked out of town and jumped some southbound freight for parts unknown.

The news of the hold-up following the recent accounts of thugs operating in San Francisco, has made a profound impression on residents of remote sections of the city, and local dealers say that a number of revolvers were sold during the day.

Dr. B. B. Lamkin has been selected as an ensay mark for a sneak thief who has made two visitations to his place within a few days.

On Wednesday night the doctor went to his office after answering a sick call and was just on the point of putting away his instruments when another hurried call sounded from a distant part of the town. He rushed out locking up his office, but leaving the reception room door open as has been his custom. Inside were a number of books in a case on the top of which stood a valuable clock. In another corner of the reception room stood a clothes closet in which were sundry coats, umbrellas, bridges and whips. When the doctor returned two hours afterward he found the door wide open and on entering the room, discovered that the apartment had been overhauled by some intruder. The clock was gone, the books strewn about the floor, while from the closet in the corner was missing a valuable overcoat which he had

LOWER COURT -DAILY GRIND

H. A. Bell Shouts Praises of Candidates.

Old Offender Yells Lustily His Choice of Aspirants for Office.

"Hooray for Timmins. Hooray for Judge Smith. Hooray for my sentiments," shouted H. A. Bell, old offender, in stentorian tones on the sidewalk of Mariposa street on Wednesday night. This might have been right enough in his way, and would probably have had little to do with Mr. Bell's subsequent appearance in the police court had the influence of liquor and nearly overbalanced himself on his meekly feet as he announced his political choice. Before Judge Briggs, yesterday morning, the old man admitted his guilt of disturbing the peace, but pleaded extenuating circumstances.

"I had the courage to holler for me favorites, which I am going to vote for, and just as I was telling the people who was the best, the cops came along and pinched me. I had only three little glasses of beer and hadn't begun to get drunk."

Mr. Bell may lose his chance to vote for his candidates after all, despite his strenuous partisanship, as the court landed him out sixty days. Bell has been in trouble before and gave trouble to Officer Aubrey, who made the arrest.

Three Months for Bad Men.

A Genoetti is the Italian who got into an altercation with the cook of the Columbia hotel on G street on Wednesday night, and made a savage attempt at disemboweling him with a knife which he purchased for the purpose. The cook felled him to the ground with a small plank and notified the police. Policeman Enos was summoned and took the man in custody on a charge of disturbing the peace. Yesterday morning Genoetti was arraigned before Judge Briggs and claimed that he had raised no disturbance, but was assaulted by the cook for no cause. Witnesses were not wanted to tell a different story, and it was also stated in court to the chief of police that the fellow was an ex-convict, formerly convicted of a grave

purchased but a week before for the coming winter.

It was only a few days before that the doctor lost a dress suit case valued at \$11.50. The theft, too, occurred at midnight, or shortly after when Dr. Lamkin was called out. The suit case was left standing near the door, and in his hurry out the owner left the door partly open. He did not care to make a complaint to the police about it as he considered himself partly to blame for being thoughtless about leaving the door open. But with the second robbery within a short time he has made up his mind to set the police on the track of the culprit.

charge. This statement was not substantiated by the police records, however. The prisoner was released from jail after serving a sentence only three days ago. The judge remarked that Genoetti was a dangerous man and sentenced him to ninety days.

The Hoboes.
 Hart-begrimed hands of toil saved Tom Scott from conviction on a charge of vagrancy. He appeared to be a decent man and said that he came in from Tulare to work in the packing house. He was released.

W. Wilson, a dead beat who has been hanging about Chinatown for some time, was given thirty days. He will get chased out of town on his release.

Charles Reynolds triumphantly showed a union card when arraigned for vagrancy. He said he came from the south and was on his way to San Francisco to work. He looked a doubtful case, but in view of the union card which he claimed to hold, and which showed that he had worked within a month, he got turned loose on suspended sentence with an order to leave town at once.

William Lawler, charged with being a vagrant, said he had been working on the Kearney ranch, and only came to town for a day or two. A sentence of thirty days was suspended.

One Drunk.
 R. Brown was the only drunk who turned up at the court during the session. He admitted his guilt and paid a fine of \$5.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following real estate transfers have been recorded during the past twenty-four hours:

Ida A. Hughes to G. G. Murray, an undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ interest in the $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and S $\frac{1}{2}$ of E $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 9, township 15 S, range 12 E; \$10.
 W. E. G. Saunders to J. G. Stein, lot 26 in block 22, Laton; \$50.
 M. Levy to Crescent Meat Company, lots 17 and 18 in block 23, Laton; \$10.
 John W. Griffith et ux to Leroy W. Lindley, lot 76, Producers' Colony; \$10.
 Robert L. Avenell to Charles P. Avenell, an undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ interest in the $\frac{1}{2}$ of section 7, township 10 S, range 21 E; \$2000.
 W. F. McVey to Spur Jackson, lots 47 and 48, Irvington addition; \$10.
 G. G. Murray et ux to Ida A. Hughes, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 9, township 15 S, range 12 E; \$10.

San Jose Lynching Averted.
 SAN JOSE, Oct. 11.—By the prompt action of the sheriff, Charles Moore, a San Franciscan, narrowly escaped lynching yesterday afternoon at the hands of an angry mob. Moore, it is alleged, criminally assaulted a 13-year-old school girl on her way home. The crowd pursued him, secured a rope and was in the act of lynching him when the sheriff arrived.

Mayor Weaver Fired an Official.
 PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—At the request of Mayor Weaver, Thomas Hicks, director of the department of public works, resigned today. The mayor accused Hicks of being too friendly to a political faction.

Hearst on the Stump.
 NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—William R. Hearst started today on a fourth campaign tour through the state, lasting to October 21st.

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THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN
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CHANDLER AND OIL.

The Democrat last night contained a grossly unfair attack on Assemblyman W. F. Chandler, in which the charge was made that because he is vice-president of the Associated Oil company, he would therefore be incapable of acting as "the safe man who at Sacramento could fairly pass on legislation affecting the oil industry of the state, more especially as affecting conditions right here at home."

Doubtless the Democrat did not know when it unthoughtedly this two-edged argument, that it would cut quite as sharply against Mr. Chandler's opponent as against himself. We do not believe that the connection of either candidate with the big oil companies would interfere with his ability properly to represent the interest of the producers. Certainly this is not the case with Mr. Chandler. He has been connected with the oil industry almost from the beginning, at first wholly and still chiefly as a producer. He has done everything he could, personally and officially, to keep up the price of oil. He is president of the Kern Oil company, in the Kern River district, of which he owns one-fourth the stock, and of the Pittsburg Oil company, in the Sunset district, of which he owns half the stock. Both of these companies have closed down their wells, under his direction, on account of the present abnormally low price of oil, and he has constantly advised other producers to do likewise. If his example and advice were more generally followed, the present depression would be quickly relieved. As an officer of the Associated Oil company he has favored these policies which will finally lead to a raising of the price from that side, also. The depression of the price is not due to combination, but to competition, among the big buying companies, and it can not be relieved by one of these companies alone; still less by one officer in one of these companies. Least of all could Mr. Chandler, who is not an officer nor a stockholder of the Southern Pacific railroad, be held responsible for any actions of that company. But as a business man, an oil producer, a public-spirited citizen, and a legislator, Mr. Chandler has done much and will do more for the interests of the oil producers, of which he is one.

However, if any one is perverse enough to suppose that the interests of the oil producers can only be represented by one not entangled with the big oil-dealing companies, Mr. O'Donnell would be as much disqualified, by this standard, as Mr. Chandler. Mr. O'Donnell was for a long time in California an employee of the Union Oil company, and also of the Inca and Nathan Oil companies, whose owners are closely connected with the Associated Oil company. He is at this time a partner in the Oetare Oil company, of W. L. Stewart, one of the founders and a director of the Union Oil company, and of W. H. Whittier, a director and one of the largest stockholders of the Associated Oil company. In all his affiliations and interests he is therefore as far as possible from exclusively representing the independent producers. If one were to be governed by these affiliations, as the Democrat charges Mr. Chandler would be, Mr. O'Donnell would be equally open to the charge. We do not believe it has force as against either. Both are more interested in the producing side than any other, and both are also, beyond doubt, men of too high character to be influenced against right and justice by their interests either way. If the issue of this campaign were which of these candidates would best represent the oil producers, the answer would be that either would represent these interests honestly and faithfully, but that Mr. Chandler would represent them much more ably. He is much the larger man, besides being an experienced legislator.

And when we come to consider the question from the larger aspect of the general interests of the county and state, the case in favor of Chandler, becomes conclusive. Mr. O'Donnell has no interest in this county at all except the oil interest. He is scarcely even a resident of the county. His family lives in Los Angeles; he returns there whenever he is not busy with his oil business; if he were taken sick tomorrow he would return there as his home; he has no residence property in Coalinga, and he could as well or better register as a voter in Los Angeles county. He has little knowledge or acquaintance and no interest in the rest of the county. He would not represent Coalinga as well as Mr. Chandler, and he would not represent the rest of the county at all. In Coalinga, Chandler ought to get the majority of the votes, and in the rest of the county he ought to get all of them. There is not even a party reason why "straight ticket" Democrats should support O'Donnell. He has never been actively known as a Democrat, and it is very positively asserted, by those in position to know, that only two years ago he was a Republican, voting the Republican ticket. That is nothing against him, but it at least removes the inducement of party regularity to give him party support.

W. F. Chandler is one of the strongest and best men in the legisla-

ture. His experience and standing give him a power there which no new man could possibly acquire. His wide interests, wide acquaintance and wide knowledge make him an invaluable representative. Except on this oil squabble, there is absolutely no argument that can or will be made against him. And even on that, the strong argument is all his way. His wide experience and trained business judgment in the oil business will be needed in the legislature, to supplement Frank Short's legal knowledge and skill, and these two men, cooperating, will absolutely dominate the legislature, in matters of oil legislation. For any oil man to vote against Chandler, on account of an oil situation which he did nothing to produce but can do much to remedy, is for that oil man simply to cut off his nose to spite his face. And for any one else to vote against him is to cut off his nose without even the poor consolation of spitting his face.

CROKER'S LIBEL SUIT.

Richard Croker has brought a libel suit to compel an Irish newspaper to prove its charges that he profited financially by his connection with Tammany. It is a pity he did not bring a similar suit in New York, when the papers there were making the same charge. In fact, it is a pity public men do not more often bring libel suits in this country against newspapers which charge them with public wrong. Failure to bring suit would then be construed, as it is in England, as a confession of the truth of the charges. The honor of public men would be safer against wanton assault, and the force of newspaper charges would be safer against mere evasion. A newspaper accusation ought not to be carelessly made or carelessly taken. In fact, on a well-considered newspaper, it is rarely carelessly made. The libel laws are constantly kept in mind in the newspaper office, if nowhere else, and charges are made with full consciousness that they may have to be proved. If the public realized the sense of responsibility with which such exposures are made, they would be taken more seriously. So it is in the interest of the newspapers as well as of the public officials that more frequent resort should be had to the libel courts. The chief reason it is not had is that guilty men think they can make a better showing by a bluff of contemptuous silence than by squarely meeting the issue. This was Croker's standard, in New York, and is Ruef's in San Francisco. Without any official position or salary, and with no private business or visible source of income, Croker in a few years became tremendously rich. He was at the head of a political machine which extorted enormous blackmail, and he superintended the collection of this blackmail. Since he had the opportunity to receive money from this source, and did receive it from some source, the inference was irresistible that he received it from this source. This inference was drawn, a thousand times, by responsible papers, and Croker never once sued. It is only now, after he has retired as a respectable gentleman, to a country where there is another standard of political honor than mere success in keeping out of jail, that he thought it worth while to sue for the vindication of his honor. It is a pity he did not discover the existence of such a thing in this country, and give the American courts a chance to vindicate it. There would have been interesting revelations.

NEEDHAM SPOKE AT LEMOORE

Special Train Was Run From Hanford.

LEMOORE, Cal., Oct. 11.—The Republicans held a rousing meeting this evening in the Lemoore opera house, and the speaker was welcomed to the stage. The principal address of the evening was made by the Hon. J. C. Needham, congressman from this district, and for an hour or more this distinguished gentleman held his large audience spellbound. He opened his address by saying notwithstanding various other counter attractions going on in town, nevertheless he was pleased to see so many representative citizens present. He paid a high tribute to the Republican nominee for governor, and spoke of his record while he was a member in congress, and said he was proud to have the opportunity to say a good word for him. Mr. Needham confined his speech mostly to national issues, and when the name of President Roosevelt was mentioned the walls of the opera house fairly shook with shouts of these present. After the meeting was over the crowd went up to the platform and shook the hand of the congressman, and in the crowd could be seen some old-time Democrats.

Many people were here from Hanford, as a special train was run from there, and when it pulled into the depot the W. O. W. band started up a lively tune and the crowd of howling Republicans were escorted to the opera house, where the meeting was scheduled to take place. The meeting was called to order by J. O. Hickman of Hanford, chairman of the Kings county central committee, and after a few appropriate remarks he introduced Attorney E. J. Walker of Lemoore as chairman of the evening. Mr. Walker addressed the audience for a short time, and then introduced Robert W. Miller, Republican nominee for superior judge of this county, and he entertained the audience for about half an hour. When Congressman Needham took the platform he was greeted with tumultuous applause and all through his address he was frequently interrupted by the clapping of hands and stamping of feet by the enthusiastic gathering.

VIENNA, Oct. 11.—It is reported in Hungarian official circles that Count Goluchowski, minister of foreign affairs, will resign at the end of this month and that his probable successor is Count Rudolph von Welschheim.

NEEDHAM AT SANGER

Issues Also Discussed By Drew and Harris.

Republican Club Meeting Last Night at Selma Well Attended.

Congressman Needham addressed a large gathering last night at Sanger, the opera house being filled with voters gathered to hear a presentation of the issues of this campaign. C. M. Blackburn called the meeting to order and introduced as chairman Dr. E. E. Baird. The local orchestra furnished music.

The first speaker was Assemblyman A. M. Drew, who discussed his work in the last legislature, especially the work on the revision of the code and the Kings river canyon road, and also referred to a number of matters of importance before the next legislative gathering.

Congressman Needham discussed national issues. The railroad rate act, the pure food law, the sweet wine and denatured alcohol measures were treated at length. Mr. Needham was given an ovation.

M. B. Harris of Fresno closed the speaking. He referred to the state ticket and denied that Gilbert is dominated and will be controlled by the governor's chair by bosses. The Democratic position with regard to loss rule, he said, was shown by the fact that Hearst had started the Independence League as a protest against bosses in that party, and to beat Bell. Mr. Harris closed with references to W. B. Williams' candidacy for state treasurer, the strong position now gained in Congress by Mr. Needham, the legislative ticket, and the county ticket, all worthy of support by every Republican.

Selma Meeting.
A spirited meeting under the auspices of the Republican club was held last evening at Selma, the speaking taking place in the Unger opera house. A number of leading Republicans, including several candidates, went down in a tall-ho from Fresno.

The principal speakers were Ernest Klette of Selma and E. A. Williams of Fresno, who discussed both the local situation and national issues. The names of Gilbert and Judge Austin were received with special applause. A band furnished music and there was a good sized meeting. The principal speakers were followed by a number of candidates, including Judge Austin, Tummons, Cosgrave and others.

Messrs. Short and Drew will address a gathering this evening at Reedley.

PERSONAL MENTION.

E. D. Selzer of Stockton is a guest at the Sequoia.

Harry Hughes of Baltimore is on the register of the Hughes hotel.

Frank Goehring is back after a two weeks' tour in the mountains.

M. D. Reed of Berkeley is staying with Mrs. G. M. Williams for a short time.

C. L. Wallace of Oakland is at the Hughes. He arrived from Oakland yesterday.

W. W. Kingston is in town on his weekly trip on business. He is at the Hughes.

A. P. Blundson of Modesto is staying for a day or two in this city. He is at the Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Moore of San Francisco are in this city visiting their niece, Miss Irene Bissell.

Mr. H. B. Bates left yesterday afternoon to visit her daughter, Mrs. Evans Porter, at La Junta, Cal.

Miss Bertha Newman is back from her week's trip to the city where she spent a visit with her uncle and aunt.

Mrs. D. S. Ewing and twin daughters have taken their departure for Seattle. Mr. Ewing will join them soon.

W. A. Conn was a passenger last night to Oakland, where he has legal business which he hopes to complete today.

Martin Crowley and wife are staying in this city for a few days and will leave for the south later. They are guests at the Ogle house.

A. D. McElhany of Raymond, the Misses Butler and Hoffman of Napa and W. H. Worwick of Merced are staying at the Sequoia. They are among yesterday's arrivals.

George Leifving, who was married in San Francisco last week, paid a flying visit to this city with his bride yesterday. He will return today, but Mrs. Leifving will remain for a week.

Mrs. Abbie Bartlett returned from a month's visit to Catalina last night. She has been in poor health for many months past and her condition has occasioned some anxiety among her friends.

Rev. Francis L. Terring, who is connected with a missionary society of San Francisco, is here for a couple of days. He is making a tour of the southern part of the state and will conduct services in Los Angeles.

Dr. G. J. Lehman, a veterinary surgeon of Portland arrived on the Owl from San Francisco last night and registered at the Ogle. He will stay here for several days and may leave for Los Angeles before returning to San Francisco to settle down.

Rev. J. M. Gillespie of the United Presbyterian church of this city, with his brother, Rev. W. B. Gillespie of the Fowler church, and W. H. French of Eastern, have returned from San Jose, where they attended the semi-annual meeting of the presbytery and the Christian Endeavor presbytery meeting.

Among the guests registered at the Grand Central are William Brooks of Clearwater, J. E. Mitchell of Dingle, T. E. Richardson of Modesto, J. L. Leary of Hanford, J. Verran and L. W. Green of Coalinga, G. W. Cornack of Hanford, D. B. McAllister, Rufus Myers, Albert Myers of Lalon, and A. Ferguson of Coalinga.

Mendota Sends a Schooner.
A schooner was sent to this city as a gift to the county jail by Justice Banta of Mendota. Whether the name was selected by the culprit, who was handed out fifteen days, as a tribute to the means of his undoing, or the name really is part of Mr. Schooner's possessions, is difficult to learn. The leader of the significant cognomen looked equal to quidding many heavy charges with vagrancy and came home in charge of a constable to serve his sentence.

IN THE LODGE ROOM.

Knights of Columbus.
At Knights of Columbus hall last night, the Knights were hosts at a most enjoyable affair, in celebration of the anniversary of the discovery of America. All national holidays are usually observed in some way by the knights, but especially is October 12th a time for a large celebration than usual. Accordingly, the hall was decorated with flags and bunting, and the guests of the evening were royally entertained by the gallant knights, who managed their banquet, along with the program and usually adjudged guests, on all occasions.

Progressive "Glee" entertained the guests most pleasantly, a hands-on cut glass dish being awarded the fortunate lady scoring highest, and a silk umbrella, the highest gentleman. Refreshments were served during the evening, the arrangements of which were entrusted to J. E. Chambliss, R. A. Harvey and T. A. Saunders, who proved themselves capable and efficient. The evening was a delightful success and much enjoyed by the guests.

A rousing meeting was held in Rotary hall last night by Fresno assembly, Royal Court. An election of several officers was the principal business of importance, last night, the following officers being elected: Chancellor, Charles M. Challinor; past chancellor, Leslie A. Robley; bishop, William Dismann; sentinel, Mylius Summers.

Next Thursday evening these officers will be in the hall, and it is hoped that all members will be out at the installation ceremonies. One of the Royal Court officers is expected from Los Angeles to take charge of the installation. A week from Thursday a social is scheduled, which will be in charge of the following committee: M. B. Jones, William Dismann, Mrs. Summers, Mrs. Josie Barber and Miss Lydia Donohue. This same committee will serve as the refreshment committee at the installation next week.

Acacia Circle.
Acacia circle, Women of Woodcraft, enjoyed an unusually large and enthusiastic meeting last night. Miss Anna Reed was initiated into the circle. In answer to Mrs. Vanant, a member of the order who died recently in Scotland, the charter was ordered draped for the customary period of mourning. Mrs. Fredericks, Mrs. Spener and Mrs. Nelson served as a committee on entertainment last night. High five was an entertaining feature of the evening, which concluded with refreshments.

Independent Order Foresters.
Owing to the session of the high court convening in Santa Barbara, there was no meeting of the Foresters last night as many of the officers are in attendance at the convention.

I. O. O. F.
The first degree was conferred upon Henry Haskell last night at the weekly session of Central California lodge, I. O. O. F. There was a good attendance of the members, besides several visitors present from various parts of the state and the East. Second degree work will be given next week.

Foresters of America.
The important feature of Court Yosemite, Foresters of America, last night was the presentation of T. E. Collins with a past chief ranger's jewel and certificate, tokens of esteem for his faithful services. Happiest felicitations were extended Sub-Chief Ranger Walter Wharton, who was married last week. Several new names were presented for membership. There is to be a lively membership campaign inaugurated immediately and there will be keen competition in the contest. The committee on the Thanksgiving ball reported favorable progress, the event promising to be the biggest affair of the season in forestry circles. There was much enthusiasm at the meeting last night and the members seem fully alive to the obligations of the court.

FOUR WILL EXPLAIN TO BRIGGS TODAY

Three Brakebeam Tourists and One Drunk Are Contents of Police Dragnet.

The police gathered in four peace breakers last night, three of the number being pilgrims who drifted into town, while the fourth was a plain drunk.

One of the vagrants was a lad of 18 years who refused his name. He apparently came in on one of the trains and was picked up on the streets by Bailiff Russell, who did not like the look of his appearance. When arrested the youth declined to give an account of himself and flatly refused to give his name. It may turn out that he is either wanted elsewhere for some wrong doing, or may be a fugitive from the reformatory.

The others were John O'Grady, arrested by Officer Crankshire; John Smith, arrested by Officer Bradley, and the drunkard, J. R. Broxson, who was discovered staggering helplessly along by Policeman McCall.

LAWRENCE COMPANY AT OPERA HOUSE

The attraction at the Barten every night next week will be the Dot S. Lawrence company, which will open its engagement Sunday night in the great Russian drama "Slaves of Russia." The Lawrence company is new to Fresno theatre goers, but come highly recommended by the San Jose press, where it is now closing a very successful month's engagement. The repertoire for the balance of the week's engagement will be as follows: Monday night, "Friends"; Tuesday, "California"; Wednesday, "Her Only Crime"; Thursday night will be announced later, as also Saturday matinee; Friday, "Carmen"; and Saturday night for the farewell bill, "A Texas Ranger." Seats are now selling for the entire engagement at popular prices of 15c, 25c and 35c.

DESIER, O., Oct. 11.—Olson Brock, a young farmer, has been arrested by Sheriff Johns of Napoleon on a warrant charging him with murder in the first degree.

Miss Jennie Bicker, said to be Brock's sweetheart, took a quantity of poison a week ago and died five days later. The warrant was sworn out by John Miller, brother-in-law of the dead girl, who alleges that Brock bought the arsenic for the girl with the knowledge that she would attempt self-destruction.

The young man was given a hearing and was held to the grand jury in bonds of \$2000 which his father furnished.

The trouble is said to have arisen over the objections of the parents of the young couple to the match.

Today's Groceries.
Mackerel, 3 for 25c
P. & W. Clams, can 10c
Codfish Strips, lb. 8c
Tomatoes, lb. 10c
Sweet Potatoes, lb. 1 1/2c
Legg Plant, 3 for 3c

WINNER-GOLDSTEIN
THE HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

Bazaar Specials
see Back Combs 35c
see Side Combs 25c
see Perfumes 25c
see Hair Brushes 25c
see Rubifum 10c
see French Java Powder, 35c

Special Sale Silk Petticoats Today

Selling Begins at 9 O'clock

Silk petticoats of good quality at less than regular prices will surely prove an interesting attraction today.

So these fine petticoats our New York office procured recently at a big discount from their regular prices ought to crowd the Garment Department early today.

\$4 Silk Petticoats \$2.95

Elegant silk petticoat; made with dust ruffle and a 14-inch flounce, composed of small tucks and shirring; extra full; come in all lengths.

\$7.50 Silk Petticoats \$4.95

These are excellent silk petticoats; 16-inch flounce with small tucks above a 5-inch ruffle with shirred top; an excellent \$7.50 value; today for \$4.95

\$10 Silk Petticoats \$7.50

Fine silk petticoats in black and colors; made with knife pleating, with 4-inch ruffle on bottom finished with French seams; in black and colors.

\$12.50 Silk Petticoats \$9.85

Made of splendid silk; gored to fit the form; 16-inch pleating with small ruckings at top and bottom. Regular \$12.50 grade today for \$9.85.

New Gage Hats Today

Ladies' 50c Handkerchiefs, 35 Cents.
Pure linen handkerchiefs; handsomely embroidered; good size. October Sale Price, 35c.

Ladies' 20c Handkerchiefs, 10 Cents
Good quality linen lawn handkerchiefs; embroidered. October Sale Price, 10c.

Ladies' 75c Underwear, 54 Cents.
Heavy fleece lined cream knit pants and vests; silk topped. October Sale Price, 54c.

Ladies' 75c Underwear, 60 Cents
Munsing vest and pants in grey and cream; heavy fleece. October Sale Price, 60c.

Sale of \$1.50

Embroideries

Saturday at 34c a Yard

See the Window Display Today!

Don't Forget!

25c Hair Ribbons, 15c
Dresden hair ribbons, in all new patterns; 2 inches wide. October Sale Price, 15c.

25c Taffeta Ribbons, 16c
Heavy quality taffeta ribbons in all colors; 5 inches wide. October Sale Price, 16c.

15c Torchon Laces, 3c
Torchon laces, in widths up to 2 inches; in many pretty patterns. October Sale Price, 3c.

\$1.25 Table Linen, \$1
Irish linen table damask; in six different patterns. Napkins to match. October Sale Price \$1.

75c Table Damask, 65c
Mercerized damask, satin finish; 66 inches wide.

ENGLISH SYMPATHIZERS WITH RUSSIAN DOUMA

Decided Not to Present the Addresses in Public, Because of the Criticism.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—At the adjourned meeting this evening, the committee appointed to present an address of sympathy to Mourntzoff of Moscow, who was president of the lower house of the outlaws Russian parliament, and the members of the proposed parliamentary delegation, it was finally decided, in view of the attacks to which the proposed visit has been subjected, to ask the Anglo-Russian friendship committee of St. Petersburg to abandon all the plans for an organized demonstration and to present the memorial in private. The decision was taken after advice received from the St. Petersburg committee had been fully considered.

Henry G. Montgomery, M. P., and John St. Leo Strachey, editor of the Spectator, today withdrew from further participation in the movement, as recent developments had altered the aspect of the case.

American Board of Commissioners.
NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Oct. 11.—The delegates to the annual meeting of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, after spending all day in attendance upon the sessions held in Williamstown, returned to this city to meet today in the Methodist church.

International Fire Chiefs.
DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 11.—The International Fire Chiefs' association today elected George M. Kellogg of Sioux City, Ia., president and James McFall of Houston, Va., secretary. Washington, D. C., was selected as the next meeting place.

The Lines of Merchandise

Which we carry in stock are all of the highest class jewelry and silver character.

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Union Pacific Stock Seize.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The price of Union Pacific railroad stock fell from 191 3/8 to 188 3/8 suddenly today on rumors circulated in the financial district that the government was about to proceed against the company, charging frauds in its dealings in public lands.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—It was stated at the department of justice today that the government has no suit of any consequence pending against the Union Pacific Railroad company nor is any to be instituted.

Tender and Sweaty Feet
Can be cured with Smith's Foot Sweat Sand, when all other remedies fail; price 25c, only at Smith Bros' Drug Store.

Remember that I represent the largest life insurance company in the world. Alphonse Newhouse, 204 Forsythe Bldg.

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Of Men's Fine \$3.50 Dress Shoes at \$2.85. Latest sayle lasts. All leathers.

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Only Two Days More
Of the Big Shoe Sale

Tomorrow night ends the big sale of the Wm. Porter & Son's shoe stock. If you need a pair of shoes it will pay you to come in today or tomorrow and avail yourself of the best shoe bargain ever offered in Fresno. All styles, all kinds of leather, all sizes and all widths of genuine \$3.00 dress shoes; last two days.

Second Day of the Lace Sale
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About 100 different new designs of Valenciennes and double thread laces, edgings and insertions to match, dainty designs, fine quality, all new; regular 10c, 15c and 20c qualities, on special sale today.

5c
Ladies' Union Suits, 50c Ladies' Flannel Gowns, 68c
Ladies' fleece lined union suits in either cream, white or silver grey, open front, an excellent winter garment, all sizes50c
Ladies' gowns of fine quality flannelette, in pink or blue stripe with pretty wash braid trimming, cut long and full, special68c

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These are exceptionally clever in style and workmanship, while the quality leaves nothing to be desired. We have bent all our energies toward producing the very best hat for the price quoted and have succeeded; all shapes and colors; every woman can be suited from many hundreds of styles at

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY
Hand Embroidered Center Pieces
98c

At the solicitation of hundreds of our patrons who were unable to get any of the 18-inch hand embroidered center pieces at our last sale, we have by strategy secured another lot, now on display in our show window. The designs are more beautiful than the first lot and while the quantity will not last all day, there will be plenty for those who come in the morning. The price will be the same as before88c



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THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN

WEATHER

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—Forecast: San Joaquin valley—Fair Friday, brisk north wind.

FRESNO, Oct. 11.—Official readings at 5 p. m.:
Temperature, dry bulb.....82
Temperature, wet bulb.....61
Humidity.....20
Direction of wind, N. W.....6 Miles
Maximum Temperature.....85
Minimum Temperature.....50
Fair Friday.

The disturbance noted over New England yesterday is moving slowly northward, its center being now over the Gulf or St. Lawrence, causing rain or snow over the lower lake region and New England, with 2 to 3 inches at Buffalo, where it is still snowing. The great area of high pressure which was central over the Missouri valley yesterday has moved rapidly southward to the Ohio and lower Mississippi valleys, and its accompanying cold wave has extended over the Southern states, with light to killing frost over most of the eastern half of the country. The eastward movement of a low along the Canadian border from British Columbia has caused light rains at San Francisco and Western Washington. On the Pacific slope, the weather is cloudy or foggy on the coast with nearly stationary pressure indicating continued fair weather at Fresno and vicinity Friday.
J. P. HOLTEN,
Official in Charge.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Baker's Barrington Hall
Coffee is now in Holland's.
Dr. Willson has returned.
Dr. Aiken Patterson Block.
Tails laws at the Republican.
My glasses are reasonable in price.
Dr. Kearns, 2036 Mariposa St.
Wanted—Platen press feeders. Apply Republican, job printing dept.
Dr. J. R. Walker has returned from Europe. Eye, ear, nose and throat.
Hughes Hotel. Regular dinner, 75 cents, served in American plan dining room.

One machinery replaces broken house promptly and reasonably. Dr. Kearns, 2036 Mariposa.

Read the University Extension Center announcement in the advertising columns of this paper.

The Fresno Rebekah lodge will give a ten-cent social Saturday evening, Oct. 13th, at Odd Fellows hall.

When you go to Gottschalk's be sure to have your tag stamped by the floor walker, "Credit Y. W. C. A."

The art lecture of the Spanish history series by Don E. Smith will be illustrated with stereoscopic views.

Sequoia Cafe—Table d'hôte dinner every Sunday. One dollar with a bottle of wine. Music from 6-8. Please reserve your table.

L. C. Paley, representing Swift & Co., is located at the Cowan house, 1 St. Telephone orders promptly attended to. Phone Main 189.

The Fresno Primary Union is to meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the First Christian church. All junior and primary workers are most cordially invited.

Fresno lodge, No. 247, F. & A. M., this (Friday) evening at 7 o'clock sharp. Work in the 2nd degree. All Masons invited. A. B. Smith, W. M., J. D. Galloway, Sec'y.

A rummage sale by the ladies of the Christian church, beginning Oct. 13. Donations gratefully received. Please phone Mrs. G. M. Boles, Mrs. Frank Rehner, Mrs. A. C. McKeever and Mrs. L. O. Stephens.

Any Vermonters residing in California are requested by the Vermont Society of Southern California to send name and address to the secretary, D. G. Andrews, 33 North Fair Oaks avenue, Pasadena, so that all Vermonters may become acquainted.

Evangelical services will be held in the United Presbyterian church on Sunday morning by Mrs. Edith Livingston Peake a well-known evangelist of Carmel-by-the-Sea, who has been engaged in the work in this state for upwards of fifteen years. There will be a meeting and practice this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

STUDENTS DECIDE ON FOOTBALL STYLE

Meeting of Members of High School Yesterday.

The student body of the high school held its regular monthly meeting yesterday. There was little school business transacted, and no action was taken as to what style of football should be adopted for this winter, but it is practically decided that the old game under the revised rules of this year will be used. The matter of entering the Central California Academic Athletic League was brought up and left for the executive board to decide. Several lectures and sent propositions for delivering lectures under the auspices of the student body to Principal Olney and these were turned down by the executive board. Among these propositions was one from John Kendrick Bangs, the humorist.

After the business meeting there was a musical program given. It consisted of three selections by the High school orchestra; vocal solo by Miss Minnie Marshall; violin duet by Grace Osborne and Gertrude Swift, and some exhibitions of the black art by Floyd Lanning. The last number was especially well received by the body. The meeting adjourned and all the classes, from "scrubs" to seniors, gave their yells.

FATHER OF SUICIDE WILL PAY FOR FUNERAL

Undertakers Receive Word From Friends of Mike Roche Toomey Who Are Well-to-do.

A communication was received last night by Stephens & Bean from the father of the late Michael Roche, Toomey who ended his own life at Coalinga after attempting to kill the woman with whom he was living.

The father of the dead man is evidently a man in well-to-do circumstances and the news of his son's tragic death shocked the family. Owing to the disgraceful nature of the young man's death, together with his disreputable mode of living before his suicide it was not thought best to send for the remains for interment in the family lot. Mr. Toomey directed that the undertakers give the remains a decent funeral in Fresno and said he would send the amount of the account when rendered for this expense.

JUDICIAL

SLUMBER

How Justice Nods In the Samuels Case.

Charge of Pool Selling Lost Sight of After Many Legal Delays.

What has become of the Samuels case? The case is so old that one almost forgets what it was about, although for the first few weeks following the arrest, it held the attention of the public court for continuous sessions with denunciations, overridings, set-backs, postponements, and what not. Then came a lull, after which it was again revived, only to go through the same process once more. Now, it is having a nice, long nap, and there seems to be no indications that it is to be disturbed from its blissful slumber for about one month more, say until after November 7th.

Lawrence Samuels is the proprietor of several smoke houses, having as his headquarters a cigar place on J street. On February 17th the police, acting upon information called from their own private investigation, raided the place and found a pool game in active progress at the rear of the premises. The proprietor, with others, was arrested, and released on bail. The complaint to the charge was filed on February 18th, when the defendant, through his attorney, Walter D. Tupper, entered a plea of not guilty. The case was heard before Judge Briggs and came up after the two days granted for the entering of a plea.

On February 21st a demurrer was filed, and on the 26th of the month the demurrer was overruled. The case set for Wednesday, February 28th. For some reason, not clearly set forth by the defense, a postponement was secured, and came up again on April 18th. Again, for reasons best known to the attorney for the defense, the case was postponed, this time until June 14th. The illness and death of Attorney Walter D. Tupper caused the longest delay.

It was at this juncture that the defendant suddenly discovered that a change of venue would be desirable. A plea was entered praying for the change on the grounds that Judge Briggs was deemed prejudicial and unable to give the case a fair and impartial hearing. Judge Briggs was by this time thoroughly versed in the hoary old case, and acceded to the proposed change of venue with alacrity. On June 20th the case was transferred to the court of Justice G. W. Smith, settling down to a good long rest. Nothing has been heard of it since. Interim inquiries have been unavailingly explained away with the statement that the date of trial has not been set, or else that the attorney for the defense is not ready.

In speaking of this yesterday, Judge Smith stated that it was not his place to set the date of trial, as the matter was up to the city attorney. Attorney Ewing explains that the Helia case is taking up all the time he can spare, and says he will get to the Samuels case when he has time to look into the details.

RELIGIOUS TRAINING

Must Always Be Provided By Association.

Wilcox Warns Against Making Institution Mere Athletic Club.

B. B. Wilcox, general secretary of the Young Men's Christian association of this state addressed the members of the association Bible classes last night. His subject was the religious work of the association and the duty of its members toward the religious department. He said:

"Many people have the idea that the Y. M. C. A. is merely an athletic club, which introduces certain social functions to draw new members, but this is entirely a misapprehension, for the fundamental principle of the association work in general is the religious work. The physical, social, and educational departments of the Y. M. C. A. are merely stepping stones in bringing men into the religious department. It seems that the principal difficulty is in placing the religious work before the men, both inside and outside of the association. In Eastern institutions it has proven profitable, from a religious standpoint, to send teachers into mines, car-barns and shops for the purpose of starting Bible classes.

"The Y. M. C. A. has a certain well fixed platform for its religious work, which was adopted as long ago as 1855 in the international convention held in Paris. The field for work is the first consideration, and on this platform, with the members do not belong to any church, so that it can be readily seen that this is the most accessible field for work, and the first efforts should be devoted to bring these into a church, but on no consideration should a member of any church, Catholic, Jew or Gentile, be in any way slighted because of his belief.

"The Y. M. C. A. was placed in this locality by the community and it is the duty of the association to act as a vestibule for bringing members into the churches. The object of this religious work is to bring men into military service for the purpose of saving their fellow men. Organization and a complete system of co-operation should be instituted so that the religious work can rightfully be called a department. Even the missionary work in your own city cannot be successfully carried on without organization and as much better system is necessary if foreign work is started, which should be the ambition of every association. Much smaller institutions than this are supporting as many as four foreign secretaries today.

"As to the phases of religious work in the Y. M. C. A., there are many ways in which the work can be placed before those for whom it is intended. There should be a Sunday afternoon

REMAINS

RECOVERED

Young Tupper's Body Will Arrive Here Today.

Funeral Will Take Place From Episcopal Church at 10 O'clock Tomorrow.

The last lingering hope that young Henry Tupper had not been killed by his terrible fall over the Union Point cliff last Saturday night was ended yesterday morning when a dispatch was received here stating that his remains had been discovered. The systematic search of the face of the cliff by heroic mountain climbers resulted in finding the body.

The following dispatch was received last evening by way of the Associated Press giving the story of the rescue of the body:

WAWONA, Oct. 11.—Today at 10 a. m. a searching party found the remains of young Tupper. From the height of the cliff to where he fell is a distance of 1500 feet. The soldiers in the search displayed wonderful bravery. Captain Charles Pugh of the artillery under a descent of over 300 feet and helped to locate the body. Private Hopkins, with another soldier took their lives in their hands and made the perilous descent of 1500 feet and by his bravery rescued the body in the nick of time.

The body was very much mutilated, yet could have been recognized. From the foot of the mountain the body had to be taken over huge boulders ranging to fifty feet in height over a quarter of a mile to the road.

The father and a younger son left the valley with the body shortly after it was recovered and traveled all night to catch the train for Fresno where the interment will take place.

Henry C. Tupper, father of the dead boy, telegraphed to L. O. Stephens, the undertaker, last evening asking that he meet him at Raymond early this morning, as the remains would be brought there during the night. The body will be brought at once to Fresno, arriving here at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Stephens left for Raymond late last night.

Arrangements for the holding of the funeral were made last evening. The Episcopal service will be conducted at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at St. James' church. Rev. H. S. Hansen in charge. Interment will be in Mountain View cemetery.

Mr. Tupper has had a nerve racking trip and it is greatly feared may suffer prostration. After an automobile run of twenty-four hours in length he refused to leave the premises where his son had been last seen until the search had been successful. Mrs. Tupper never gave up hope of the finding of her eldest son alive until yesterday morning, when a dispatch was received regarding the finding of the body.

Tullius Tupper arrived home from Stanford university and Roland Tupper from Cooper's in San Francisco night before last. Will Tupper is returning from the Yosemite with his father.

evangelistic meeting and some man of note, not necessarily a minister, should be gotten to speak before all whom can be induced to attend. It is well to rent a hall for this, if the association cannot accommodate the crowd. It is well to have Bible classes, both for those who are beginning the work and also for the more advanced students. If possible, a devotional meeting should be held each week.

"To bring about the greatest success, it is absolutely necessary that each member should take a personal interest in the religious work and no one should enter the association for the selfish purpose of gaining the advantages offered without giving in return, personal service to the work of bringing others to Christianity.

The address was given in place of the Bible study. The members assembled at 6:30 o'clock for the regular supper and afterward adjourned to the basement to hear Mr. Wilcox's address.

NOVELTY THEATRE.

Chorus Girls and Comedians Make Fun for Spectators.

The Waterfield company continues to entertain at the Novelty theatre. The performance consists of a musical show in the first part. Charles Rapier and William J. Mack are the end men and check some new and funny jokes in their inimitable way. A number of songs are introduced by the various members of the company. Gertrude Eubank, the Spanish calchita, then sings and dances, assisted by the rest of the company dressed in Spanish costumes. A monologue is then given by Mack and Frank Willard sing the illustrated song, "I Am So Lonely."

"The Power of the Kissing Bug" is entered into by the whole company and many laughable situations are produced. Mack, Rapier and Miss Eubank sing "Indians Along Broadway" in a manner that brings rounds of applause. The introduction of the California girls in this force is something unusually good for the vaudeville stage. Next week there will be an addition of six to the company, making a total number of twenty.

MEN'S LEAGUE MEETING.

The Men's League of the First Presbyterian church held its annual banquet at the church last night and there were about seventy-five in attendance. President A. L. Minger reviewed the work done in the past year by the league and plans for the coming year were discussed. A report of the financial condition of the church was read and a finance committee appointed.

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Bryan's Tour of Missouri. KANSAS CITY, Oct. 11, William J. Bryan, who is touring the state on a special train, spoke at Lebanon, Springfield, Monett and Joplin today.

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LASH'S GUN STORY IS CONTRADICTED

Three Witnesses Declare He Said He Was Mistaken About the Weapon—Evidence in Willie Helm Trial All In— Hinds Opens for the Prosecution and Everts Begins Argument for Defense.

Things moved quickly yesterday in the proceedings of the Helm trial. The morning was taken up with some strong rebuttals of several of the statements made by witness Lash for the defense, weakening his identification of the gun in the case by showing that when the officers first called his attention to it, he said he was "mistaken" about it. With this line of inquiry, the rebuttal closed, and the defense had nothing more to offer. In the afternoon, Attorney Hinds made a spirited opening argument for the prosecution before the jury, and Attorney Everts began his statement for the defense. The latter will continue at 10 o'clock this morning.

That Gun Story. The first witness in the morning was D. C. Paul, father of the young man who had previously identified the gun as having been in the family for ten years. The other was very positive in his identification, telling how he had bought the weapon second-hand for a small sum about 1895, and that it was at the time wound about the neck with small wire.

Then Deputy Sheriff Pickett went on the stand. Over the strenuous objections of the defense, he was permitted to tell all about the conversation at Hanford last November between himself, Sheriff Buckner, of Kings, Charles Sharp, proprietor of the bicycle repair shop, Lash's gun, and the alleged owner of the gun, Adolf Borel, the alleged owner of the gun. He said that when the gun was first shown to Lash, the latter at once said that he had worked on it some four years before, but that later, when it was examined in the presence of Borel, Lash admitted that he was mistaken about the gun, as the repairs were not such as he had made.

Sheriff Buckner was the next witness. He told the same story of the conversation as Pickett. Borel had never gotten out of the shop, and a search of the shop failed to find one that could be identified as the one he had owned, but People's exhibit No. 1 was agreed by all parties present not to be the one.

Charles Sharp was the last witness. He confirmed the statements of the others. He said that he had fifty or more second-hand guns in his place of business, that he frequently took guns apart, rejected certain pieces and put the others together again. That it was possible that parts of the Borel gun are still in the store, but that they could not be identified as such. He said that Lash, in attempting to repair a break in the Borel gun, had burned the metal of the "neck" of the shotgun, so that it was permanently marked. He was sure that the exhibit in court was not the same weapon.

Sharp's book in which all rented weapons were entered was placed in evidence. It showed only the entry for the gun that Sharp had loaned to

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"If he is innocent, let him go; but the people want to have from you a faithful rendering of account and to understand from you really what has been the success or failure of the prosecuting officers.

"As this case presents itself to me, I see not one defense in it. That Willie was not there at the scene of the murder of all. Does any juror doubt that Willie Helm was out there on the bridge, the bridge road that day, and that his gun was at the scene of the murder?

Mr. Hinds began his statement by pointing out that the great work that devolves upon lawyers in the preparation of their case, outside of court is hard to understand for a layman, and that his only reason in asking for an adjournment until the following morning was to be sure that the evidence for the prosecution should be presented in the argument in the most concise form so that the jury would be assisted to the greatest possible extent in understanding just what was relevant and what irrelevant in the evidence. He said in part:

"The law provides that the attorney for the defense shall have the widest latitude in their efforts on behalf of the prisoner. The prosecution is bound by certain rules of procedure, the judge sits calmly and impartially in presiding over the case, and above all is the jury, on-hand to listen to all that may be presented in the case and render justice to the people and to the defendant.

"Sometimes there is a tendency among jurymen to sympathize with some lawyer, some one puts up a bold front and seeks to arouse sympathy on behalf of his client. The fighting spirit is aroused, and admiration for one who is waging a contest bravely and boldly. But this is not right. The issue may be dramatic, and death may be the result of the investigation, but do not let our sentiment overcome you in the jury box. Let the lawyers do all the lawyerly business. Lawyers get into a terrible stew, they fight and then forget; but every jurymen should be now, as he was at the beginning of the trial, entirely open to conviction regarding the case that is before him.

"The strain upon the prosecution in a case like this is not caused by the battle, but by the skirmishing that is carried on upon all sides. The issue in the case may be to a legal mind proved beyond a shadow of a doubt; the position may be impregnable, but the prosecuting lawyer never knew when some little skirmishing some where out on the side lines may be used to create some doubt in the mind of one juror, such as will defeat that unanimity which is a verdict of conviction must be arrived at.

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for the defendant here took exception to the criticism of the father.

"Do you think that if your son, an innocent man, were accused of murder, you could have been kept off the stand? No lawyer born of woman could have prevented you from standing up here and telling your story. Who was the man that brought Elmer Helm home on the evening of the 31st? Where is he? But out of the alibi comes the vision and disappearance of a father and the disappearance of the man who brought Elmer Helm home.

"But as to the alibi. The mother showed that they did leave home. She was indebted to us to the time, as was the other witness, but leave home they did. Then they returned to the house of their brother-in-law. They returned there, for all their rambling about town they do not track that any stranger could see. Do you believe that they could have been around town the way they said without some one's seeing them? It's a skilled pilot that touches no rocks. The employment of a woman came near to being, but she was not put on the stand. Was it not strange?

"Mr. Pickett so forced the time of their visit to her place as near to noon as possible, and then they went over to the other family, and then downtown, and then back to the brother's, and then to the first place, a triangular business to prevent anyone seeing them. They did strike against just one who was not of the family, Eugene. I won't comment upon him except just to say that you don't believe him, the man who just slipped through the saloon at the right time.

"So, not a soul saw them except their own people. You would not buy a ten-year old on such testimony as this, this alibi. Perhaps you have heard of the origin of alibi. In the olden time, a man who had committed a crime, invited some one to a dinner, after that he had had their earnest to them. Remember the time you have had tonight, but change the date. That is so easy to do, just change the date. An alibi is a perfect defense—if you think it is true.

"But besides the alibi for the men, there is the alibi for the gun. What is there in this gun alibi? No matter what is said about where that gun was in 1902 or 1901, you know that the Pauls had it for ten years. They knew the gun as no one else would, and they scored to it positively. Lash and Borel thought he was right, but think of the witnesses that are against him. And think of Williams, was not his story a true one?

"This young man who was on the stand, Borel, you saw how he choked up. You noticed that he did not want to give evidence against his friend. He will be criticised, but the evidence of Williams has never been assaulted. He was not remembering something that took place three or four years before. He had repaired that gun near the time of the murder, so you know that Willie Helm had the gun between the 15th and the 25th of October and that he talked of going on a hunting trip to the West Side. And Adams, the storekeeper, was the man to whom Willie Helm had boasted of the ducks and geese he had shot.

"The old couple were murdered on the evening of Oct. 30th on the lonely plains. Think of that cabin out there in the solitude, desolate and dangerous. But should not people be protected by the law not there as well as elsewhere from murder? The road

leads in almost a direct line from here. People do not pass along it frequently, but these last days just past. There were two boys and their two bicycles. Listen to me on this point, for it is the reason we ask you to deal out the death sentence.

"At the Garner place, Mrs. Garner saw, looking out from her window, two boys on two bicycles, the one with black sleeves stopped at the elbows. Her husband saw them, too, from a distance. The Phillips boys saw two bicycles, and described them similarly. There is no doubt about their identification of Willie Helm. But it is said that the officers had the Phillips boys under suspicion. Just as they had everyone under suspicion at first, that had been on that road, until it was shown that they could have had no connection with the murder. But they say the Phillips boys had a reason for their testimony, too? I got angry once when they were questioning this man Moller and tried to shut out everything about his past life, after they had tried to make him out to be a tramp. I tell you there is many a man who is as good as we are and as reliable who would just as leave save a few dollars rather than pay a fine.

"There were the tracks that were going west. The boys had told Williams that they were going on a hunting trip, and they told the Phillips the same. The tracks led to the cabin and stopped. Something must have stopped them. What made them turn back?

"Is there any crime that could equal the murder of that poor old couple out there in the plains? They had made their camp, started a fire and prepared for their supper, and had their little dog with them. These two young men who had started out on that road had killed her and him because they wanted to put a few dollars in their pockets. What jurymen can hesitate to convict men who would commit such a deed. Have we not got a right to demand their death?

"Much has been said by the attorneys for the defense in this case about the district attorney's office. I want to say that throughout this trial every thought and every effort of District Attorney Jones has been to accomplish justice, and under all circumstances to act in an entirely fair manner. There is no more honest and fair man known here than Mr. Jones.

Attorney Hinds had spoken for about an hour and a half. A recess of ten minutes was taken, and then Attorney Everts began for the defendant, with some reference to Hinds' apology for the district attorney's office, and said that the work of all the lawyers should be judged by others than by themselves. Incidentally, he referred to Hinds as being without a peer in the practice of criminal law.

He then proceeded to make an analysis of some of the points in the first address. The case against the defendant, he contended, was based simply on the stories of the Phillips boys and of Moller. Then, taking up the question of alibi, he defended it as one of the oldest principles of English law. The question of alibi was, he said, so highly that if there was even a reasonable doubt created that possibly the alibi had been shown, that the defend-

ant could not be convicted. It is looked upon most favorably by the courts as the means of protecting innocent men from attack.

The prosecution, said the attorney, was in a poor position to ask why the older Helm, or any other person, was not put on the stand. Why had not the prosecution brought in the measurements they had taken of the bicycle tracks and the footprints seen on the White's bridge road? As a matter of fact, he said, the testimony of the father of the accused boys was not material, as he had lost seven his sons of the morning of the murder, after which they might have ridden out on the road and committed the murder. If the alibi had been manufactured, he said, would the dogs have been that they were at the ranch all day?

Everts concluded his remarks at the afternoon with an attack on the witness Moller, asking who would buy a ten-acre lot upon such testimony as that of such a man.

This morning at 10 o'clock Attorney Everts will conclude his remarks, to be followed by Attorney Ewing, who will close for the defense. This will probably take all morning, and District Attorney Jones will take the early part of the afternoon. A verdict should be reached this evening.

Notice. The trustees of the Swedish Lutheran church will have a special business meeting Friday evening, Oct. 12, 1906, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

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Black Silks Get a Showing

Plenty of rich silk pickings today.

We have selected some of the most popular numbers for the day's selling and those searching for good silks will fare unusually well.

Among the interesting items are the following:

36-inch black Taffeta Silk; soft chiffon finish; an elegant silk, heavy and lustrous, but soft and graceful; an elegant dress silk and a popular weave. A \$1.75 value at \$1.42.

36-inch black Taffeta Silk; a heavy smooth silk, highly lustrous; not put on with a patent finish, but every thread having its own natural finish. A \$1.75 value at, yd. \$1.48

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27-inch black Taffeta Silk; a swell number, retailing regularly at \$1.00 per yard; colored edges; guaranteed high finish. Special 79c.

Long Suede Gloves \$2.75

Good news for those who are looking for a fine glove at a moderate price.

A very handsome and durable glove; gray or brown; all sizes. Gloves to be used with the short or three-quarter sleeve.

Usually you pay \$3.50 for such gloves, and it was only the luckiest of chances that we got these to sell at \$2.75.

Many New Ready-to-Wear Hats \$1.98

These hats are all new arrivals and are among the very newest of fall fashions.

Genuine French felt; made with the soft rolled crown; a dainty cord tied around the crown; most of them in white. A charming and graceful shape, and just the thing for early fall year.

Many Prettily Trimmed Hats \$3.50

Right up to the minute in style and good looks. Hats that are modelled after the very best styles. French felt shapes trimmed in quills, coque feathers and pompoms; velvet ribbon, a pretty rosette turned on the left side with bands of velvet trimmings. Others trimmed with satin wheel rosettes and wings caught and held in place with a rich ornament.

Necessities.

5c Safety Pins, doz. 1c

5c Card Hooks and Eyes, doz. 2c

25c Hose Supporters, plain or luffed, elastic, pair 14c

10c Cake Vaseline Soap 5c

Colgate's Toilet Powder 15c

25c Box Note Paper 12c

20c Stocking Shields, pair 5c

4c Paper Pins 1c

\$1 Shirts 69c

An opportunity to purchase some splendidly made shirts at 69c.

Some in light colors, some in medium shades; golf shirts; soft bosoms, detached cuffs, full cut, all seams reinforced; all sizes.

Meat Specials

There's a good array for Friday; not all of them being printed, but enough to induce everyone to give our meat prices their careful consideration.

Pot Roasts, lb. 7c

Shoulder Rib Steaks, lb. 7c

Stew Meat, lb. 5c

50c Pillow Tops 29c.

All new arrivals.

Pillow tops with the backs sewed on ready for the cushion. Every pattern a new one. Some decidedly clever and novel designs among them.

Trading Stamps Free with All Purchases.

Sale Agents for Men's Walk Over Shoes.

Men's Golf Shirts 69c.

Here's another big lot of golf shirts to go at 69c during this sale. Neat figures and stripes in light, medium and dark colors. Made of madras, chevrons and percales; attached and detached cuffs. Perfect fitting shirts; neatly finished. You've often paid \$1.00 for ones no better. No. size, 15 or 15 1/2.

50c Work Shirts 39c.

Men's work shirts—they are as staple as sugar and here are 50c ones at 39c. They are made of plain black and black and white drilling; some with double front and back, also blue, gray and blue and white chambray and light colored twills; the kind that are cut full, double stitched and reinforced. Choose from sizes 14 to 17. Each 39c.

Infants' Long Slips, 20c.

Mothers will be interested in this good news. Delightfully pretty and inexpensive slips, full length, made with embroidered yokes, and in several different styles.

\$3 Shoes for Men \$1.95.

Russia calf men's shoes; finest quality leather; have hand welted soles and neat, stylish lasts; fine business shoe; worth \$3.00. On sale today at \$1.95 a pair.

Misses' \$1.50 Shoes \$1.19.

Good, plump vici kid leather; made with patent leather tips and 1-2 double extension soles; solid and durable shoes, worth \$1.50. On sale today at \$1.19 a pair.

Women's \$2 Shoes \$1.50.

Fine vici kid leather shoes in lace style; made with medium light soles and patent leather tips; stylish shoes, worth \$2.00 a pair. On sale today at \$1.50 a pair.

Men's Night Shirts 40c.

Made of good quality outing flannels; night shirts are in negligee or French style; no collar, silk trimmed neck and front. Outing flannel ones are warm and comfortable, all well made and cut full length and width. An extra strong value at 40c. Sizes 15 to 19, aisle 8. This is an opportunity that men will appreciate.

Remnants Half Less.

The remnant counters are brimful of bargain goodness. Short lengths that have shortened prices. Lawns, Domestic, Dress Goods, Linings, Gingham, Shirtings, Calicoes, Silks. Plenty to choose from, and if you find the need-length you will find a very good bargain.



Kuppenheimer Suits

\$15 to \$17.50 Suits \$9.85

\$20 to \$35 Suits \$13.95

Every day more and more men are here to investigate this unusual offer.

We are slashing the price of these suits not because the values are not good, but because we have better clothing to sell at the regular prices.

The makers of Kuppenheimer clothing would be astonished to learn that their product is being sold at these prices, but this store never indulges in half way measures.

There is not room for two lines like this in this store. We have a better one and we want to close out these Kuppenheimer suits. Come and make your selection from single or double breasted sack suits, from fine serges and chevrons; every suit a beauty; right up to the minute in good looks.